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| RE: AMENDMENT D | RECIPIENT'S REFERENCE NUMBER: 09/813,235 |

NOTES/COMMENTS:

Transmitted herewith are the following documents for entry into the above-noted file:

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: WOODWARD et al.

Attorney Docket No.: WVANP012

Application No.: 09/813,235

Examiner: JASMIN, Lynda C.

Filed: March 19, 2001

Group: 3627

Title: TECHNIQUE FOR HANDLING SALES OF
REGULATED ITEMS IMPLEMENTED OVER A
DATA NETWORK**CERTIFICATE OF FACSIMILE**

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AMENDMENT D TRANSMITTALCommissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

The fee has been calculated as shown below.

| | Claims After Amendment | | Highest Previously Paid For | Present Extra | Small Entity Rate Fee | Large Entity Rate Fee |
|--|---------------------------|-------|-----------------------------------|------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| Total Claims | 54 | MINUS | 77 | 00 | x 9 = | x 18 = |
| Independent Claims | 5 | MINUS | 7 | 00 | x 43 = | x 86 = |
| Multiple Dependent Claim Present and Fee Not Previously Paid | | | | | \$145.00 | \$290.00 |
| Total | | | | | \$00.00 | \$ |

- ☐ Applicant(s) hereby petition for a _____ - month extension(s) of time to respond to the aforementioned Office Action.
- ☒ Applicant(s) believe that no (additional) Extension of Time is required; however, if it is determined that such an extension is required, Applicant(s) hereby petition that such an extension be granted and authorize the Commissioner to charge the required fees for an Extension of Time under 37 CFR 1.136 to Deposit Account No. 500388.
- ☐ Enclosed is a Credit Card Payment Form for the amount of \$ _____ to cover the additional claim fee and/or extension of time fees.
- ☒ Please charge any additional fees required to facilitate filing the enclosed response, to Deposit Account No. 500388 (Order No. RLC1G000).

Respectfully submitted,

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 20, 2005, please amend the above-identified patent application as indicated in the following pages.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 14 of this paper.

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